

ANN LANDERS



For Parents Only

Dear Ann Landers: I just read the letter from the woman who always compared her children. I have a problem that is worse. My mother keeps comparing me to herself.

When I brought home my last report card my mother said, "So you got a D in arithmetic! I never got a D in my life." Well, maybe she didn't, but they probably worked with Roman numerals when she was in school.

Last week I had to have a pair of boots. They cost \$16. My mother gave me a 30-minute lecture on how it was when she was my age. She said her mother fed a family of five for a week on less than \$16. Talk like this can make a kid feel real crummy. It's not my fault times have changed. Please straighten the older generation out, will you, Ann?—**OUT OF TOUCH**

Dear Out: O. K. Stuff some cotton in your ears, kids, this message is for your parents:

Dear Fellow Antiques: The one phrase that kids simply don't want to hear is, "When I was age." In the first place they don't believe you ever were. In the second place they couldn't care less about how it was. Comparisons are not only boring, they are meaningless.

It's a different world today than when you and I were growing up. While our kids have it easier in some ways, they have it tougher in others. One thing is for certain. I'm glad I'm not in high school today. I don't think I could make it.

Dear Ann Landers: The gentleman I have been going with for several years says a man and woman do not need a legal ceremony in order to be man and wife in the eyes of God. He claims many people who live together treat one another better and are more faithful than a great many married folks. According to him the ceremony is a mockery and he doesn't want any part of it. Please express yourself.

—SILVER THREADS AMONG THE GOLD

Dear Former: Thanks for writing and now I'll repeat my advice. Call the police or the child welfare agency the moment the beatings begin. Parents have a hard time denying the charges in court if the authorities testify that they witnessed the brutality.

Drinking may be "in" to the kids you run with—but it can put you out for keeps. You can cool it and stay popular. Read "Booze and You—For Teen-Agers Only." Send 25¢ in coin and a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope with your request.

Ann Landers will be glad to help you with your problems. Send them to her in care of the Press-Herald, enclosing a self-addressed, stamped envelope. (C) 1967 Publishers-Hall Synd.

Obituaries

Catherine Bowen

Services were held for Catherine Bowen yesterday at the Halverson-Leavell Chapel. A resident of the area for 10 years, Mrs. Bowen died at her home, 645 Paseo de La Plaza, Monday. She was born in New York July 5, 1895.

Survivors include one son, Jose Bornn of New York; a daughter, Tracy Pilurs of Illinois; and eight grandchildren.

Private cremation followed the services.

Robert Sowell

Graveside services were held yesterday at Green Hills Memorial Park for Robert William Sowell, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Buster Sowell of 1445 W. 227th St. He died Tuesday.

Halverson-Leavell Mortuary was in charge of arrangements.

Manuel Valenzuela

Rosary was recited for Manuel Garcia Valenzuela Friday at the Halverson-Leavell Chapel. Requiem mass was celebrated yesterday at St. Philomene Catholic Church.

A resident of the area for 17 years, Mr. Valenzuela resided at 19115 S. Coslin Ave., Gardena. Born in Mexico Dec. 25, 1908, he died Monday in a Torrance hospital.

Surviving are two sons, Ray and Loren of Los Angeles; two daughters, Sophie Murrillo of Gardena and Nellie Fierros of Arizona; and 11 grandchildren.

Interment was in Holy Cross Cemetery.

Tract Approved

Plans for a 228-lot subdivision on the Palos Verdes Peninsula have been approved by the Regional Planning Commission. B. R. Morris Development Co. will subdivide the 70-acre parcel at Crest Road and Hawthorne Boulevard.

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...Renewal

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loan authority of some \$6 million, it was reported.

FERRARO SAID the funds would be used to acquire the remaining property in the project area. Demolition of buildings in the area will, however, have to await the end of the current legal battle.

ACT has indicated it would appeal Judge Nutter's decision, but no such action has been taken so far.

The Meadow Park Project involves some 54 acres of land at the west end of the Torrance Municipal Airport.

Congressman Will Speak

Congressmen Alphonzo Bell (R-28th District) will address a joint meeting of the Redondo Beach Chamber of Commerce and the Redondo Beach Rotary Club Wednesday.

Bell is expected to discuss the California State Supreme Court's reapportionment order.

Entertainment will be provided by the Madriga Singers from Redondo Union High School.

Cadet Named

Thomas M. Hahney of Redondo Beach is among six students at the University of Southern California who have been named Distinguished Air Force ROTC Cadets. Designation as a distinguished cadet is offered to fewer than 20 per cent of each senior class members.

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Heart Attack Woman Suffers

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